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**REQUEST FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
TRANSMITTAL**

Address to:
Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Application Number: 09/911,777

Confirmation Number: 3867

Filing Date: July 24, 2001

First Named Inventor: BROWNING

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: M. Haddad

Attorney Docket Number: 08201.0024-00000

Attorney Customer Number: 22,852

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, application must request non-entry of such amendment.

- a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief of Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
- ii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed:
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- iv. ☒ Other: PTO Form 1449; Corrected Sequence Listing; Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-mentioned application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required.)
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. Fees

- a. ☒ The filing fee is calculated as follows:
- i. ☒ \$770.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Petition for extension of time for (____ Months) \$____
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Check in the amount of \$770.00 enclosed.
- c. ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in the filing fees, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Signature of Applicant, Attorney, or Agent Required

Name: Leslie A. McDonell

Reg. No.: 34,872

Signature: *Leslie McDonell*

Date: May 18, 2004

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In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: Haddad, Maher M.

**For: BAFF, INHIBITORS THEREOF
AND THEIR USE IN THE
MODULATION OF B-CELL
RESPONSE**

**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

1. Sequence Listing (paper copy).
2. Diskette containing Sequence Listing in computer readable form.
3. Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)
4. A copy of original Figures 1A, 1B, and 1C with changes marked in red.
5. Replacement Figures 1A, 1B, and 1C.